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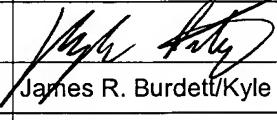
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INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the final Office Action dated October 17, 2007, finally rejecting claims 2-21, the Applicants submit the following Amendment and Reply.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this paper.